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POINTS OF THE MORNING'S NEWS.

G. Hamilton Griffin trying to get a new trial in Victoria. Unpleasant relations between Germany and Spain. Resolution adopted by the State Board of Trade asking that the Pacific Coast be represented in Harrison's cabinet. Washington comments on the President's message. The Oregon Navigation Company enjoined. The Reading Railway Company reduces wages. A lynching at Canon City, Colo. Emperor William able to drive out. Socialism spreading in Germany. Gen. Harrison to take a hunting holiday. Races at Bay District track. The State Board of Trade decides to make no exhibit at Paris. The Government's suit for timber illegally cut on trial in San Francisco. Colorado Utes consent to remove to Utah. Debate in the Commons on the Sudan question. Stockholders suing the management of the Kentuck mine at San Francisco. Fire at New Orleans. A German bark on fire at San Francisco. Plan of the San Joaquin Valley road. Work on the Southern Pacific's San Luis Obispo branch going forward rapidly. Mexican postmasters sentenced for theft at Paso del Norte. Several Austrian conspirators arrested. Dynamites on trial at Geneva, Ill. Large sale of land at Riverside. A bill introduced for the establishment of a bureau of health at Washington. Proceedings in Congress. Important order from the War Department. A joint resolution introduced in the House providing for the election of President by direct vote. A decision in the famous Horn Silver Company case in New York. Strong testimony against the Irish National League given at the Parnell inquiry. Attempt to wreck a train near Sacramento.

El Libro is closed for the present. (See Third Ward returns.)

The Citizens' Reform Movement polled 512 votes—about twenty-five per cent. of their ante-election estimate.

COLUMBUS, O., is wrestling with the social evil no less earnestly than is Los Angeles.

AFTER the 4th of March Grover can travel through the country without being burdened by an encyclopaedia. Another proof that the law of compensation holds good.

MR. CLEVELAND's star of destiny has not yet fully set. Though the Presidency is slipping from his grasp, Harvard has come to the rescue and conferred upon his corpulence the degree of doctor of laws.

WHAT Los Angeles county now needs to insure her rapid and permanent growth is more articles produced at home, with the result of less money sent out of this section for the purchase of what may just as well be manufactured in our midst.

"THEY" have it now that Quay is to go into the Cabinet "sure and certain," and already, in the Quay-stone State, "plans have been mapped out for his successor in the United States Senate."

If Quay goes into the Cabinet John Wannamaker will have to keep on selling "cloudings."

KENTUCKY is true to Bourbonism, and there are more mourners within its borders over Cleveland's defeat than in any other State in the Union. A few days ago an officer went insane with the grief of his disappointment, and another son of that sacred soil went out to his barn and hanged himself. What a paradise that State would be for Cleveland's future home!

THE South has given indication of sensibly accepting the result of the recent election in a cheerful spirit, as is evidenced by the cordial invitation sent by Georgia to Gen. Harrison to attend the national exhibition at Atlanta. There will be nothing to foster a partisan spirit in the South under a Republican administration, and that section may yet accept the principle that a broad nationalism is preferable to the narrowness of sectional prejudice.

ONE reason why California will grow more rapidly than the South is because the South has not yet learned to tolerate ideas which differ from those of their political leaders. If the South had even greater advantage of soil and climate than California possesses, she never would compete with the Golden State, because she will not extend to those whom she invites to settle in her midst that perfect political freedom which is guaranteed them by the Constitution, and which is theirs by divine right.

## Summary of a Summary Defeat.

The "smoke of battle" having cleared away, a cursory survey of the field of the late municipal contest shows net results which may be described in the following words and figures, to wit:

John Bryson (D.) is elected Mayor; Charles McFarland (R.) City Attorney; Len J. Thompson (R.) Tax Collector; John Fischer (R.) Assessor; M. D. Johnson (R.) Treasurer; E. P. Johnson (R.) and A. E. Pomeroy (R.) Members of the Board of Education. The following Councilmen are elected: Charles N. Earl (R.) and George O. Ford (R.) in the First Ward; Jake Kuhrtz (D.) and Harvey T. D. Wilson (D.) in the Second; Dr. J. H. Bryant (D.) in the Third; A. McNally (D.) and E. R. Threlkeld (D.) in the Fourth; and A. C. Shafer (R.) in the Fifth.

The Republicans carried the city ticket, with the exception of Mayor; the Democrats elected five and the Republicans three of the new members of the Council, making that body stand, under the coming reorganization, eleven Democrats to four Republicans.

Mr. Bryson's majority is 860, showing a change of more than two thousand votes within thirty days! "Such is life on the border."

One of the most significant features of the contest was the fact that while the entire Republican city ticket, with the exception of Mayor, was elected by majorities ranging from 121 to 517, nevertheless Miles, the head of the ticket, went down under nearly 900 majority. He is 1377 votes behind the highest candidate on his ticket! Yet he was energetically supported by Mr. Boyce and the Tribune.

The lesson of the election, so far as individuals is concerned, is obvious. There is no possible occasion where greater care is required in selecting candidates for party nominations than in local contests, where the personal of the men on both sides is scanned with a closeness unknown in general elections, where personal knowledge of the candidates is more difficult, for the mass of voters to obtain. In local contests men vote with far more independence and discrimination than upon any other occasion, and party lines are very loosely drawn. This is the best home government secured.

## The Wedge of the Honest Toiler.

The rise of new industries in West Virginia has been one of the many factors which have tended toward making the State Republican. The surest way of extirpating forever the free-trade heresy in the South would be to build up manufactures in that section and encourage industrial pursuits and vocations. The South will not break away from its autocratic tendencies until industrial enterprises are more general among its people. The whirl of the spindle and the noise of the loom, the smoke of the furnace and the sound of the anvil would do as much for southern advancement as the multiplication of schools and universities. Luxury and idleness do not make good Republicans or good citizens. They do not strengthen the morals or the intelligence of a State, nor do they nourish patriots. The spirit of sectionalism will not die out from the hearts of southern men until they become interested in great enterprises, which shall tend to the development of their resources. This will do more toward breaking up "the solid South" than any amount of political gospel that can be disseminated.

## Waver of Sound.

The telephone is destined to play even a yet more important part in the business world of the future. Clear and distinct communication is now had by this means between Boston and Chicago, and the plan is regarded as being entirely feasible of pushing the line through to San Francisco. A company has been organized for that purpose. In this achievement we see the correctness of the assertion made by Prof. Hitchcock of Amherst College, more than forty years ago, that "the air is one vast sounding gallery." He went even farther than this, asserting it to be also a "vast picture gallery," on which is left the impress of every human deed, and of every spoken word, so clearly that the air is one great written volume which is clearly read by higher intelligences with clearer vision than our own. If this be so—and who can disprove it—every day the world's history is being printed in unmistakable characters upon the atmosphere, and it is there to witness for or against us in the coming future. What marvels does science reveal to us!

## Theory and Action.

Mere sentiment in matters of morals, of politics and of religion is of but little account unless combined with honest and intelligent action. The country is full of sentimentalists who deplore existing evils and who set about to cope with them in some dreamy, impracticable, theorizing way, but who never strike any hard blows at the root of the evils themselves. A good many reformers have yet to learn that there is a wide difference between sentiment and principle. The one sounds well, but the other works well. The only fine sentiments that are of value to the race are those which crystallize into vital principles which govern and control the life. Probably it would be difficult to find one among the hangers-on of salacious whose sentiment is not against the practice which degrades him and robs his family of the comforts of life. But his sentiment is not strong enough to take shape as a restraining principle against temptation.

It is a good deal this way with the sentiment which controls the Prohibition party. It is a sentiment which ignores principle—unless principle, no matter how strong and sufficient for the restraint of evil, takes the prescribed shape dictated by the party. They profess to be the friends of temperance, but they ignore every friend of temperance who will not work with them and adopt their methods of reform. Give us all we ask for

or we will not take anything is the rule they abide by. When all these fine sentiments deepen into firm principles that shall manifest themselves by deeds rather than noisy utterances, then there will be some hope of reform.

There is a power in sturdy principle that it is hopeless to fight against. The great trouble with reformers generally is too much theory and too little practice. The supreme need of the American people is not the multiplication of fine sentiments and theories, but the embodiment of fixed principles that shall control party action and crystallize into needed reformation. Fine sentiments are of no earthly account unless we live up to them. They are not current coin until backed by principle. Mere theorists do not give strength to any party. It is deeds and not words that tell in the great battle of life, and that make for a political party a strong and immovable foundation.

Mrs. GLADSTONE has made the discovery that some of the youngsters in the party have organized a deep-laid scheme to shelve the g. o. m., and she has accordingly sent him up to London to head off the gang and look after his parliamentary fences. Mrs. G. is a g. o. w., and don't you let her recollection of the fact get away from your memory. Get out your trusty riatas and lasso the idea.

The granddaughter of President Lincoln has been spending a few days in Washington. She gave a reception to some of her young lady friends. On this occasion she wore a walking-dress of dark green cloth, with a vest of tan color, a Gainsborough hat of black, and a black veil over her animated face. She is described as a blonde, with large, blue eyes, and a cordial manner, which will make her hosts of friends.

The result of our late Presidential election seems to have the tendency of bringing thoughtful southern men to their senses. The Democratic Mobile Register now appreciates the fact that the South was too presumptuous in regard to tariff reform, and regrets that "the Speaker packed the Ways and Means Committee with six southern men of the eight Democratic members."

EVEN now Thurman says that he does not despair of ultimate Democratic success. He has visions of a sweet by and by, when Democracy shall rise again from the ashes of defeat to places of trust and power. Faith like this would be sublime if it were not so clearly akin to folly.

THE Chicago Times, not contented with a \$500,000 libel suit on its hands, is hunting for another fight. It recklessly publishes the following:

We might as well say it now as at any time. There is no man in the inauguration procession at Washington, but there will be no ladies there. There is a very wide difference between the female and the lady, as you may have noticed.

THE Chicago Times has a couple of \$250,000 libel suits on hand, brought by an elevated railroad company, and the paper is elevated proportionately, and has the horn of its rejoicing up at an angle of forty-five degrees.

We have urgent letters from "Judge E. G. Silence," on the abuss of the International Company of Mexico. We request our correspondent to contain himself, and preserve his identity until we can spit upon the editorial hands.

It is understood that Sir Francis Clereford will be appointed to succeed Sackville West. The latter, it is said, will be offered a colonial governorship. He should seek out a colony that is surrounded by a rabbit-proof, anti-Murichson fence.

## AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE OPERA-HOUSE.—Men may come and men may go forever. The fresh voice and the native drollery that won a man a name and a generous salary may fade away and the man be known and all well done, the songs, the jokes, the ridiculous monologues, the burlesques that make up the minstrel unit remain. The Georgia Minstrels, now playing a brief engagement here, have reverted to the old programme, and present an entertainment quite unlike Haverly's big variety show. Their performance needs no apologies, however, being excellent, natural, and with a freshness and real feeling in both the singing and acting that is grateful—notable, perhaps, because the greater part of the troupe are colored men, if not all. Here follows, therefore, a heartiness in the fun and a sympathy in the music inseparable from that initiative and melody-loving race. Several of the numbers of the programme are wholly novel, and all well done, especially the "French conductor." A big crowd should fill the house, and will not be disappointed if they really like minstrelsy and not simply a grotesque variety performance.

## The Official Canvass.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 4.—The official canvass of the vote cast at the recent election for Supreme Court Justices was completed in the Secretary of State's office today, and is as follows:  
 For Chief Justice: Beatty (Rep.), 134,517; Searls (Dem.), 119,599; Thompson (Pro.), 5342; scattering, 230. Beatty's plurality, 4618.  
 For Associate Justice: Works (Rep.), 123,477; Sullivan (Dem.), 122,974; scattering, 85. Works's plurality, 503.

## The Sugar Trust on Trial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Gen. Roger A. Pryor, for the people of the State of New York, this morning opened the sugar trust prosecution in the Supreme Court. The particular trust under consideration today is the North River Sugar Refining Company.

The Attorney-General supplemented Gen. Pryor's argument. Ex-Chief Justice Daly opened for the defense. He denied that the company had abused its privileges. The price of sugar had not been increased, and the arrangement was simply to promote economy, to protect them against the unlawful combines of workmen and give each refinery the benefit of the appliances of others.

## Washington Territor's Vote.

PORTLAND (Or.), Dec. 4.—The official canvass of the vote of Washington Territory gives the total vote cast for John B. Allen (Rep.), for Congress, 55,291; Charles S. Yocum (Dem.), 18,920; Roger S. Greene (Pro.), 1137. The Legislature stands: House—Republicans 47, Democrats 2; Independents 2; Council—Republicans 11, Democrats 1.

## Prominent Men Indicted.

PHOENIX (Ariz.), Dec. 4.—Quite a number of prominent men were recently indicted here for cutting and removing timber from non-mineral public lands.

## Three Children Burned to Death.

LINGTON (Ga.), Dec. 4.—A negro woman locked her three children in her house and went visiting. During her absence the house burned to the ground and the children perished.

## WASHINGTON.

## Congress Settles Down to Its Work.

## Several Important New Bills Offered in Senate and House.

## Proposed Establishment of a National Health Bureau.

The Senate Substitute for the Mills Bill Promptly Taken Up—Allison Denies Having Any Cabinet Aspirations—A Presidential Election Bill—Notes.

## By Telegraph to the Times.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] Senator Gibson introduced a bill today for the establishment in the Interior Department of a bureau of health, to be under the direction of a commissioner, who shall receive an annual salary of \$5000. It also provides for the appointment by the President of a health commission, to be composed of 20 members, who shall be divided into six sections, as follows: Five for the yellow fever section and three each for the cholera, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, smallpox and diphtheria sections. Each member shall receive an annual salary of \$1200, and it shall be their duty to investigate the cause, origin and best mode of prevention of the diseases mentioned. Five members of the commission shall be organized into a quarantine commission, whose duty it shall be to examine into and report on the efficiency of the quarantines at the various ports of the United States. Upon the report of the commission to the Health Commissioner, if the quarantine service at any port is inefficient the Commissioner is commanded to direct the Collector of Customs at the port to refuse entry to any vessels, goods or persons coming from any infected place unless the vessel shall have undergone quarantine at some national quarantine station. The Health Commissioner is directed, whenever called on by a Governor of a State to make rules and regulations and take measures for the suppression of disease for the Quarantine Commission. The Health Commissioner is directed to make weekly reports to the Health Commissioner in regard to the sanitary conditions of foreign ports. It is made unlawful for any person to obstruct the demand for the quarantine of a vessel or to refuse to comply with any foreign country except in accordance with the rules prescribed by the Health Commissioner.

## A BILL FOR HUMANE TRADES.

Three Senators, Plumb, Berry and Dolph, and Representative McKee today introduced bills similar in their provisions, to allow persons who have abandoned or relinquished their homestead entries to make another entry. The bills introduced today provide that any person who has settled on the public domain who has not yet received a homestead entry, and who is unable to subsist on the lands by reason of drought, whole or partial, destruction of crops, sickness, etc., may take out another homestead entry in place of the abandoned claim.

## IMPORTANT WAR DEPARTMENT ORDER.

The Secretary of War has issued a general order directing that, when not prevented by active service, all available infantry, cavalry and light artillery of the army, shall devote part of each summer to practice marches, encampments, maneuvers and other military operations simulating war. For this purpose the available force of each division or department will be assembled in as large bodies as practicable, having regard to economy and to the location of Indians who may possibly require control. The concentration will in general be made by marches, but in some cases when the state of appropriations will not permit, the troops may be moved by rail and from places of concentration for the purpose of joint operations with the mounted troops.

## THE DIRECT VOTE QUESTION.

Representative Stone of Kentucky today introduced a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution providing that the President and Vice-President be chosen every fourth year by direct vote of the people.

A paragraph of the joint resolutions forbids the holding of any local or State election except for members of Congress on the day set apart for the election of President and Vice-President. The election is to take place on the first Tuesday of November.

## THE FINANCE COMMITTEE AT WORK.

This morning the Senate Finance Committee briefly considered the Tariff Bill, which Mr. Allison announced yesterday he would call up today. It also informally had under consideration Mr. Sherman's bill to declare unlawful trusts and combinations in restraint of trade and commerce, and proposed amendments to the Senate in September.

Senator Allison of Iowa denies the report that he has been offered the Secretaryship of the Treasury by Mr. Harrison.

## NOTES.

Major Edward Moore, First Infantry, has been ordered to special duty in the Department of Arizona.

A postoffice has been established at Ceritos, Los Angeles county. John P. Day is appointed postmaster.

The Postmaster-General has ordered the establishment of free delivery at Spokane Falls, Wash., and Walla Walla, Wash.

William H. Head of Delaware has been appointed examiner of national banks for the District of Columbia and Territories of Washington, Idaho and Montana.

Among the bills introduced in the Senate today was one for the construction of two steel frigates to be armed with heavy rapid dynamite guns, and one for two steel cruisers to be armed with dynamite guns.

A meeting of the board for the promotion of the proposed Constitutional Centennial and World's Exposition was held last session.

A resolution providing for a committee to wait on Congress and urge the passage of the pending bills providing for the celebration and exposition was discussed and unanimously adopted.

## FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON (D. C.), Dec. 3.—[By the Associated Press.] Senate.—In the Senate, various annual reports, including that of the Secretary of the Treasury, were presented and appropriately referred. Numerous bills were introduced and referred.

Mr. Frye, at 12:30, moved to proceed to the consideration of the Union Pacific settlement bill.

Mr. Mitchell opposed the motion, on the ground that he had no time to examine the report. It was a matter that should be looked into.

Mr. Teller also favored the postponement of the railroad bill, as he had no opportunity to investigate the subject.

Mr. Frye said the matter was a very familiar one to the Senate. A select committee had been appointed to investigate it, and he considered it had devoted much time to investigation. The committee found two Pacific railway companies, the Union and the Central, and they could not be considered on account of difference in conditions and capacity. Therefore the committee unanimously reported a bill touching the Union Pacific only. The report had been made in writing, and had been printed as long ago as July. The bill, he thought, could be disposed of in four or five morning hours.

Mr. Plumb said there was no particular reason for haste, as the debt would not mature for nine years. In the present temper of the public mind, and in view of some promises recently made, there were some obligations resting on the Senate to discharge public business before it took up any matter of private concern. In his judgment, the bill would require a good deal of debate. Without saying what might eventually become of the bill, he thought it would be found one of rather more importance than the Senator from Maine seemed to think. He therefore moved, if there was any spare time between now and 3 o'clock, that the Senate

utilize it by taking up the Tariff Bill alone.

On motion of Mr. Allison, the Senate substitute for the Tariff Bill was then taken up for consideration.

Mr. Vance said the Democratic Senators would have amendments to offer to the tobacco section (first in the substitute) were not prepared to offer them today, but would be tomorrow. He therefore asked its postponement until 2 o'clock tomorrow. Agreed to. Adjourned.

House.—In the House, the Speaker presented the annual reports of the Secretary of the Treasury and Comptroller of the Currency, which were appropriately referred. Leave was granted the Committee on Appropriations to sit during sessions of the House.

A resolution for investigation into purchases of real estate by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia was referred.

Mr. McDonald of Minnesota presented a petition of North Dakota for immediate admission into the Union, and also petitions of South Dakota and Montana, and for constitutional conventions in North Dakota, Washington and New Mexico. Referred to the Committee on Territories.

At the close of the last session Mr. Dingley succeeded in having made the special order for today the bill for the erection of a monument to Maj.-Gen. Harry Knox at Thomaston, Me., but subsequently Mr. Kilgore entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which the order was made. After some filibustering today the House proceeded to the consideration of the bill, and Mr. Dingley briefly sketched the public services of Gen. Knox.

Mr. Kilgore agreed with anything that could be said in praise of Gen. Knox, but he did not think that Gen. Knox's reputation was superior to the Constitution of the United States. In his opinion Congress exceeded its authority in using money wrongfully from the people by taxing to erect monuments in Maine or Texas or Colorado.

Mr. Breckinridge of Kentucky said there were upon the calendar bills for the erection of monuments throughout the country, the appropriations contained therein aggregating \$275,000. It seemed to him that the Government was going into the monument business rather than at wholesale.

Mr. McMillin, while expressing his reverence for the memory of the revolutionary heroes, entered his protest against the General Government going into States for the purpose of erecting monuments.

Mr. Spaulding of New York, while opposed to extravagant public expenditures, voted in favor of the bill, as he thought it would tend to support a measure which would tend to coming generations the memory of those men who underwent hardship and suffering in order that the Republic might be created.

On demand for the previous question, the vote stood: Ayes, 111; nays, 46—not a quorum.

A call of the House was ordered, and 295 members responded to their names. The question of ordering on the demand for the previous question, again no quorum voted.

The opponents of the measure resorted to dilatory tactics to compass its defeat. Several resolutions were introduced, and finally Mr. Dingley yielded to Mr. Mansur to offer an amendment locating the monument in Washington.

The previous question was ordered on the amendment, and third reading of the bill.

On Mr. Mansur's amendment the vote stood: Yeas, 66; nays, 92—not a quorum—and more calls followed. This procedure was continued until 1 o'clock, when under the order adopted at the last session, the House adjourned.

## HOW THEY TAKE IT.

## Washington Comment on the President's Message.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] The following are among the Congressional expressions on Cleveland's message:

Springer (Dem.) of Illinois said: "It is as strong on the tariff question as the last one, though no so explicit. It is a good paper."

Congressman Reed (Rep.) of Maine: A year has brought about a great change. Then it was a condition that confronted us and not a theory, and now apparently it is a condition that confronts us.

Senator Ingalls (Rep.) of Kansas: President Cleveland's imperturbability is entirely too perfect to be the result of self-control.

Congressman Boutelle (Rep.) of Maine: It is the old straw threshed again. The message is weary, stale, flat and unprofitable.

Senator Gorman (Dem.) of Maryland: It is a very interesting, statesmanlike document.

Congressman Foran (Dem.) of Ohio: The President has consented to let wool alone this time. If he had been so discreet before the Republicans would not have the next President and the next House.

## Hours and Wages Reduced.

READING (Pa.), Dec. 4.—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company posted notices this afternoon notifying employees that on and after tomorrow eight hours will be a day's labor instead of 10. There will be a proportionate reduction of wages. The reduction of hours is due to the suspension of the coal mines, and all persons connected with the coal traffic will also be reduced to eight hours. This will enable the company to keep all its men employed, but at shorter hours.

## A Bark on Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The German bark C. R. Bishop, which sailed from this port November 29th, loaded with wheat for Queenstown, returned to port this evening with fire in her hold. The fire had been burning for several days, and it is feared she will be lost.

The bark is now at anchor off Meigs wharf. The fire has gone to the assistance of the vessel, but it is difficult to get at the fire without causing a draught, which will increase the flames.

Defrauded Kentucky Farmers. See page 1.

San Francisco, Dec. 4.—A special to the Republican from Evansville says: A sensation was created by an account that Samuel Well, a member of a prominent firm of traders, had been decamped with some \$15,000, which is alleged to have defrauded Kentucky farmers out of.

## Ten Rounds.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Jack Fallon and Tony Lees of Australia fought 10 Queensbury rounds with three-ounce gloves in Brooklyn last night, and Fallon got the decision, although impartial spectators were of the opinion that justice would have been done both men had the referee made it a draw.

## An Active Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The coffee market opened strong and active this morning on foreign advances. Late options showed the most marked change, some standing 139 points above the close yesterday. Other deliveries were up 70 points.

## Alleged Firebugs Killed.

JANESVILLE (W.), Dec. 4.—The town was nearly destroyed by fire Friday night, with a loss of \$100,000. Yesterday Henry O. Balton, one of the heavy losers, charged that John and Betty Craig with setting the fire. Last night the Craigs were killed.

## A Knight Templar's Suicide.

TROY (N. Y.), Dec. 4.—Thomas E. Hazlehurst, Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, State of New York, shot and killed himself this morning.

## A Brave Italian Man.

CANAJOHARIE (N. Y.), Dec. 4.—As the fast mail whizzed through Herkimer this morning two girls on the track were in great danger. Flanagan Wolfer rushed to their rescue and saved them, but he himself was killed.

## A Republican Victory.

NEW HAVEN (Ct.), Dec. 4.—The municipal election today resulted in the complete overthrow of the Democrats, the Republicans electing their candidate for Mayor for the first time in six years.

## The Nail Market Ordered.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 4.—Thomas C. Boyle & Co., iron brokers, have bought 55,000 coils of nails within 10 days, and have practically complete control of the market.

## The Mineral Belt Road Sold.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.), Dec. 4.—The Arizona Mineral Belt Railroad, extending south from Flagstaff 40 miles, was sold today to D. M. Jordan, the Arizona Lumber Company. The consideration was \$40,000.

## EASTERN TOPICS.

## Gen. Harrison to Take a Holiday.



## GRIFFIN WRIGGLES.

## The "Doctor" Wants a New Trial.

California's Bid for a Place in Harrison's Cabinet.

Attempt to Wreck a Passenger Train Near Sacramento.

Growing Accounts of the San Joaquin Valley Road-Portland Making Vigorous Efforts to Get Rid of Her Highways—Other Pacific Coast News.

By Telegraph to The Times. VICTORIA (B. C.), Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] Counsel for G. Hamilton Griffin applied today for a writ of error, argument on it to be held before the full bench.

It is rumored that their contention will be that an American citizen was one of the 12 jurors who convicted Griffin.

## RAILWAY NEWS.

Southern Pacific's Great Tunnel—The San Joaquin Valley Line.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] Great activity is now displayed at the head of operations on the Southern Pacific branch railway extension to Santa Margarita and San Luis Obispo. Numerous additions have been made to the force of late. It now numbers nearly 2000 men. The magnitude of the work is such that it can hardly be completed inside of 18 months, even though the workmen should be kept constantly employed. It has been suggested that more men could be set at work and the road be hurried to completion by the sinking of shafts down into the middle of the tunnel from the surface and working both ways, thus affording a chance for the employment of four sets of men, but it is not yet known whether or not this plan will be adopted.

THE SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY LINE.

It is stated here that the engineers of the Stockton, Fresno and Southern line, the road which is to be built in opposition to the Southern Pacific in the San Joaquin valley, are working from Stockton. The resident engineer will be in Fresno soon to fix definitely the points of entrance and exit of the road in that city. The original survey made for the line did not take it through Fresno, but since that survey was made the capitalists behind the scheme have changed their plans, and it will run through the eastern portion of Fresno. The contract for steel rails for the road has been let, and a representative of the company is now in this city to complete the contract for grading the roadbed. The proposed route south from Fresno is to Centerville, Visalia and Bakersfield, striking the Santa Fe's surveyed line near the latter place. There is talk of a northern extension of the line from Stockton to Oakland via Livermore.

## THEY MUST GO.

Vigorous Measures Against High-binders at Portland, Or.

PORTLAND (Or.), Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] The coroner's inquest over the body of Wah Bing, one of the victims of the Sunday shooting, was concluded today. The verdict was that deceased came to his death from a gunshot wound at the hands of Wong Sing. The latter cannot be found.

Tonight a meeting was held by about 50 leading Chinese merchants and business men. Mayor de Lashmutz and Chief of Police Farish were present. The Chinese merchants agreed to cooperate with the authorities to stamp out high-binders' societies in Portland. Notices will be posted tomorrow throughout Chinatown, notifying all high-binders and crook societies to leave the city at once. Five days will be allowed. If the societies are not then broken up arrests will be made at once. All such Chinese convicted will be compelled to work on the streets with ball and chain.

A Cattle Company's Curious Methods.

HELENA (Mont.), Dec. 4.—At Great Falls today Judge Bach took under advisement the suit brought by the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company of New York against the Montana Cattle Company. Defendant claimed breach of the terms of a mortgage. Bonds amounting to \$750,000 were issued by the cattle company. The breaches alleged are failure to keep defendants' herds up to 22,000 head as agreed, failure to pay interest on the bonds, and sales of cattle by which it is asserted the number was diminished.

An Editor Apologizes. VICTORIA (B. C.), Dec. 4.—Managing editor Templeman of the Times appeared before a full bench, yesterday, charged with contempt by publishing insinuations against Judge Desha. Defendant claimed that the remarks were written and inserted without his knowledge, and said that he would apologize in any manner suggested by the court. After remarks by members of the bench, defendant was discharged on payment of costs and publishing a full retraction and apology.

Will Not Exhibit at Paris. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the State Board of Trade today, the committee which was appointed to confer with the Paris Exposition Commissioners reported that it had been learned that the part of the \$250,000 appropriated by the United States Government for exposition expenses could be used for California. On the strength of this announcement a resolution was adopted that the State Board of Trade declined to take any part in the Paris Exposition.

Heavy Duties Paid. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The largest single payment of duties ever made at this port was paid by the American Sugar Refining Company today at the custom-house on a cargo of Java sugar of the steamer Westmeath. The cargo amounted to 7,538,000 pounds, requiring a duty of \$144,334. The payment was in double eagles of standard weight.

Twenty Years for Two Murders. WALLA WALLA (Wash.), Dec. 4.—In the District Court this morning Enno Bley, convicted of murder in the second degree for killing Carl Moritz at Waukegan, La., July 23d, was sentenced to 14 years' imprisonment. On the charge of the murder of Peter Moritz, at the same time, Bley pleaded guilty to manslaughter and was sentenced to six years' imprisonment.

Murderer captured. WALLA WALLA (Wash.), Dec. 4.—Marshal Robinson arrested Williams, charged with the murder of two miners at Wood River, Idaho, in 1886. Williams was a deserter from the United States Army at Ft. Sherman, Idaho, in the early part of 1886, and on trial was sentenced to serve six years in Alcatraz, but escaped from the guardhouse.

The Harrington Murder Case. SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The preliminary examination of William J. Harrington, charged with the murder of David J. Donahue in the Republican County Committee rooms on the night of the Republican primary election, was begun this afternoon before Judge Lawler.

Riverside Papers Consolidated. RIVERSIDE, Dec. 4.—The Daily Press, Republican, and the Valley Echo were consolidated today. The new paper will be published in politics, with E. W. Holmes as editor-in-chief.

Stanford Going to San Diego. SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—Senator Leland Stanford replied to a telegraphic invitation from General Manager Turrell of the Chamber of Commerce that he will visit this city on Thursday to meet the business men before going to Washington.

## A PLEA FOR THE COAST.

Harrison Urged to Give it a Member of His Cabinet.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The Executive Committee of the State Board of Trade adopted a memorial, addressed to Gen. Harrison, today, asking him to select one of the members of his Cabinet from the Pacific Coast. The memorial of the Board of Trade, which is lengthy, says: "We respectfully submit that the bestowal of a Cabinet position on a citizen of our section as a recognition of our interests, stimulus to our patriotism and concession to our pride, once in a half century, is not an inordinate share of welcome at the national board."

"Resolved, that the Senators and Representatives in Congress of the States of California, Oregon and Nevada be most respectfully requested to forward the foregoing memorial to the President-elect, with such reinforcement of request or petition as in their judgment may seem fit and judicious."

"Resolved, that this board has no personal choice among aspirants for positions in the Cabinet of the President-elect, but that in presenting the above memorial it is animated solely by a desire of securing to the Pacific Coast section of the United States representation in the highest and most important political council of the Nation and a fair and due consideration in the exercise of departmental government, which in later years has witnessed such an expansion and growth."

## TIES ON THE TRACK.

An Attempt Made to Wreck a Passenger Train.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] A bold attempt was made to wreck the south-bound Oregon express, which was due here at 5:55 this morning.

Several ties were laid across the track, and one of the rails had been pried off after the spikes holding it had first been removed.

The scene of the attempted wreck was just around the curve where the road comes into this city from the American River bridge, and the only thing that prevented a wreck was the fact that a freight, which was moving slowly, struck the obstructions first a short time before the Oregon express came thundering along.

The wreckers had placed torpedoes on the track, and the explosions led the engineer to the freight train to stop up and clear his way more carefully. At that early hour all the express passengers are usually asleep, and the loss of life would have been great.

## THE KENTUCK MINE.

Its Stockholders Think They Have Been Deceived.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—[By the Associated Press.] Ex-Gov. C. C. Stevenson of Nevada and Wales L. Palmer were on trial before Superior Judge Wallace today, charged with defrauding the stockholders of the Kentucky Mine, on the Gold Hill ledge, out of \$550,000.

The suits were brought in the name of the stockholders by Washington Smith, who alleges that Stevenson, Palmer and several others formed a combination to obtain control of the mine, after which they elected their own officers, making Stevenson superintendent; that while acting in this capacity the latter obtained a contract to reduce the mine's ores at the Douglas mill, of which he is chief owner, at the rate of \$2.50 per ton above the ordinary charge for milling; that in this manner he defrauded the company out of over \$50,000. In addition thereto, it is alleged that Stevenson made way with ore from the mine to the amount of half a million dollars.

## ENGLISH AS HE IS SPELT.

A Rip-roarer Among Types and Orthography.

There is a wild and reckless orthographer loose at Azusa. He edits the news of that place. From his issue of last Saturday the following choice gems are culled:

"After the innerman was satisfied, the young and the older peoples resumed their highlaritys."

"On motion duly seconded McCurdy was deputized to see the Santa Fe Railroad officials in regard to his train stop, a register station, cheaper fares, computation tickets and the placing of the word 'Azusa' on their train signs."

"A flag pole of 100 feet was discussed at length, some of the arguments elected considerable applause."

"Are parents going to allow their daughters to attend the A. S. & L. U. when quarling or fighting is indulged in?"

"Likewise, the probability of a repetition of the rowdiness."

"Purify thy ranks and you will forge ahead."

"Well, lets soliloquize a little! If three apples grow into hearing in three years and produces \$200 worth of fruit per year, what is that land worth?"

"The barn is on the Queen Ann style, is a fine structure and an ornament to the valley."

"Why is it that a man gets warm when he stinks with a stove? Because it makes things hot?"

"The [Los Angeles] Tribune, always mindful of the best interests of the people, soon knocked the gas out of the coal sharks by publishing a statement of the supply and demands."

"Again, harmony seems to be a rare treat for them, and penuriousness prevails to such an extent that this same Ira Vandeborght got into quite a squabble over a \$0.25 fine."

"Tuesday evening the intitory step was taken."

To show the consistency and animosity courted in this affair, we will give figures."

"The bicycle made its prants; Ernest Pollard busted his pants."

"Sunday two weeks ago tomorrow."

"Professor Defty's smiling countenances was seen on the streets."

"The desirous 'young man'."

"—apparently resting on Oscar's and Barnes' houses. Show us a citizen whoever saw its equal."

"Other words gathered at random: 'Proficiency,' 'preverocating,' 'appliable,' 'apparent,' 'fertile,' 'flutency,' 'buded.'"

That wild-eyed Azusa editor is philistine a long phelt waunt.

## Gambling in the Army.

(New York Herald.)

A mania for gambling seems to have invaded some of the posts on the Pacific Slope, as Gen. O. O. Howard has issued a general order calling the attention of officers in his division to the fact that "the vice of gambling is prejudicial to good order and military discipline." All persons in the army, therefore, who shall within a military reservation play games of chance for money or other valuable consideration, will be subject to trial by court-martial. It is reported that in consequence an abnormal activity has been imparted to the training of jack rabbits to run steeplechases, this being the only amusement left at some of the stations on the plains.

## The Weather.

SIGNAL OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, Dec. 4.—At 5:07 a.m. the thermometer registered 58; at 12:07 p.m. 75; at 5:07 p.m. 66. Barometer for corresponding periods, 30.13, 30.08, 30.01. Maximum temperature, 78; minimum temperature, 55. Weather clear.

## PASADENA NEWS.

THE LIQUOR CASE THROWN OUT OF COURT.

The Pickwick Meeting—"Liars" in Morgan Hall—Lectures in the Future—Personal Gossip—The Pasadena Base-ball Club Defeated.

PASADENA, Dec. 4.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The next lecture given under the auspices of the Academy of Science will be given on the 17th inst. The lecturer will be Prof. Tobbetts and the subject "Eclipses."

The proprietor of the Home restaurant is among the missing. The rain which was promised us today has not made its appearance as yet. A good shower would go a great way in putting the streets in walking condition.

A number of plank street crossings are being put in by the Street Superintendent.

An important meeting of those interested in the Dairymaids' Convention will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. The entertainment will commence one week from tonight, and one of the prominent features will be a broom drill by a corps of young ladies.

The Pasadena base-ball club who crossed bats with the San Bernardino team on Sunday, have returned home with defeat. Score, 12 to 9.

The directors of the Pasadena Lake Vineyard Land and Water Company held their monthly business meeting yesterday. The receipts for the month of November footed up to \$382.73, and the expenditures during the same time were \$1624.85.

The Woman's Relief Corps of the G.A.R. will hold a social tomorrow evening in Doty Hall.

The Congregational Church will hold their annual meeting tomorrow evening. The various officers will submit their report at this meeting.

The eccentric rod of the engine which draws the train due here at 6 o'clock from Los Angeles in the evening, broke down, necessitating the use of another engine. The belated train arrived here at 7:30 o'clock.

## THE LECTURE.

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The lecture was divided into the following subjects, which were carefully handled in turn: Promissory, benevolent, convenient, political, pious, practical, white, first-class, second-class and the doom of liars.

The Pickwick Club held an important business meeting last evening. It was decided to give a minstrel burlesque performance on the 19th inst. The end men will be J. M. Shawhan and Henry Herndon. This entertainment will be one of the finest yet given by the club, and in the eyes of many will outrival the Pirates. Other business was transacted and several new members initiated. It was fully decided to have the Boston Quinette Club appear at an early date. One Thursday in every fortnight was set apart as ladies' night, and they will not doubt be royally entertained by the Pickwickians. Thomas Nast and Prof. C. F. Holder were made honorary members.

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The case, therefore, when it came up before Justice Terry this morning was dismissed for lack of evidence. The complaint was sworn to by Special Officer D. J. Behen on October 29th, and the arrest made the following day. The case was dismissed from the docket, and a broad smile went round from the motley crowd in the room who all along had favored high license. This case has been a test one, and cost the city quite a considerable sum of money. A number of other cases are to be tried for the same violation at an early date.

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The following are registered this evening at the Carlton: L. H. Scrivener, M. Goldberger, A. Stein, San Francisco; C. J. Miller, Georgetown, Ct.; H. Morgan, San Francisco, and O. L. Bosworth, Bristol, R. I.

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## THE CITY IN BRIEF.

**A sale of county lots on Buena Vista street will take place at noon Saturday.**

There was a business meeting of the members of the Young Men's Christian Association last night.

T. B. Waters of Alhambra died at his home yesterday. Funeral from his late residence in Alhambra today at 3 p.m.

The managers of the Los Angeles and Vernon Street railway have adopted a new time table. Cars will hereafter run until 9:30 p.m.

A special revival service is in progress at the Central Baptist church, at the corner of Hill and Third streets, under the management of Rev. W. H. Pendleton.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for J. N. Rogers, Harry Brownson, Henry Ridenour, Charles Murtha, L. C. Ostergard (cable), William Taylor.

This morning a number of medical men will leave Los Angeles for San Bernardino to attend a meeting of the Southern California Medical Society which convenes today and will be in session tomorrow. Several matters regarding quacks will be discussed.

Foundkeeper Max Botello last evening at the police station reported that there had been a pile of clothing and other articles for the past two weeks, and that several vehicles had run into the obstruction. There have been no lights out during all that time.

Yesterday, Deputy Constable Harry Johnston had occasion to serve a writ of attachment on Mr. Scherer, the street cleaner, for one of his men. The latter gentleman became very angry over the occurrence, and raised considerable of a disturbance, but the little deputy stayed with him, and the whole matter was finally amicably settled.

Lee Ah Wan, a Chinese woman, was arrested on the arrival of the Santa Barbara train yesterday by constable Clements, and landed in the County Jail, on a telegram from that place, charging her with grand larceny. The particulars of the case could not be ascertained, but an officer will be down today to take her back.

There was no meeting of the Police Commissioners yesterday, as was expected. His Honor, the Mayor, being busy about the first-street paving matter, and Mr. Humphreys, and the Mayor failing to materialize. The investigations which were to have come up will be taken up at the regular session of the commission, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

John Ryan, a well known sport, who has been about the city for some months, died yesterday morning at his lodgings, No. 3 Turner street. Ryan came to Los Angeles from Chicago, where his parents still reside. They were telegraphed yesterday about his death, but up to last night no answer had been received as to the final disposition of the body.

A man who gave the name of John Doe was brought in from Santa yesterday and locked up in the County Jail on a charge of burglary in the first degree. Doe had broken into some one's cabin in the mountains and made off with the "grub." He was caught while on the street, and the officers have a straight case against him.

Thirty-nine prisoners were taken into the County Jail during Monday night, the largest number since the city was taken over, and the jail has been occupied. A fair proportion of this number were vagrants and peace disturbers, but the great number were captured in a Chinese dice game on Marchessault street by Constables Vandyke and Dawes. There were 235 prisoners in the jail last evening at 7 o'clock.

The present trial jury in Judge Cheney's court is making an exceptionally good record. It has been on duty since the first of the cases brought before it there has been no acquittal on trumped-up pretexts, but a conviction has been found in every case where the evidence was guilty beyond a reasonable doubt. Such juries are these give encouragement to those who desire the law to be the enforcement of the laws.

Constable William Kervan of San Diego the other day seized upon a fine, flashy and buggy already attached by the Collector of Customs at San Diego. Kervan acted by authority of a justice of the peace, but he was brought up Monday before United States Commissioner Van Dyke to explain his action in interfering with the Government officers. He gave \$500 bond to appear for examination December 13th.

A little sawed-off street organist gathered such a crowd on Spring street, near Second last evening, that he interfered with the running of the street cars, and complaint was made at the police station. Chief Benedict sent an officer down and straightened out the trouble, after which the preacher was brought to the station and his rights and privileges were plainly defined.

Even the boys have caught the election fever, and indulge in betting with as much relish as their elders. Previous to the city election, the Democratic and Republican youngsters made a wager that the ones who lost would march in the Salvation Army procession, while the victors would walk along the sidewalks and enjoy the fun.

The time for the payment of the bet was not set, but the circus will probably take place some time this week.

F. E. Green, contractor, writes to THE TIMES to complain about the manner in which the bids for the new schoolhouse at Clearwater were opened. Green says that he, in common with 15 or 20 other builders, put in bids, and that he was on hand at the appointed time to see them opened, when they were taken off by the school trustees and architect and opened privately. Mr. Green thinks that all bids for public work should be opened in the presence of the bidders.

**PERSONAL NEWS.**

P. F. Evans of Riverside is at the Nadeau.

W. R. Wheeler of Santa Barbara is at the Nadeau.

A. W. Spencer of Okaloosa, Iowa, is at the Nadeau.

J. E. Kalne and son of St. Louis are at the Nadeau.

A. W. Demming of San Francisco is at the Nadeau.

P. Newhall of Cincinnati, O., is at the Hollenbeck.

H. Burton Milliken of the Boston Herald is at the Nadeau.

J. H. Watson and wife of Chicago have rooms at the Nadeau.

C. P. Norton and wife of New York city are at the Hollenbeck.

T. McKee and T. Albee of New York are at the Nadeau.

Samuel Miller and wife of San Francisco have rooms at the Nadeau.

J. K. Fisher and wife of Santa Barbara are at the Nadeau.

T. P. Wright and wife of Troy, N.Y., are registered at the Hollenbeck.

A. O. Stevens and A. Hewitt of Minnesota are stopping at the Hollenbeck.

H. Conover, Jr. and V. Winters, Jr. of Dayton, O., are quartered at the Nadeau.

L. M. Fisher and wife, Mrs. Lomax and C. M. Norton of Chicago are at the Hollenbeck.

S. P. Lunt and wife have returned from San Francisco and have rooms at the Hollenbeck.

J. E. Berry, business manager of the San Diego Union, was in this city last Monday. Business, he says, is rapidly improving in his city.

Capt. Charles A. Dexter returned last evening from a prolonged visit to the East, accompanied by his wife. They are on their way to San Diego.

**Next City News.**

Owing to the high rents and the scarcity of money, the Plunder Store is obliged to close out their large stock of men's and boys' clothing at whatever prices they will accept. It is a guarantee a positive saving of 25 per cent. below any other house in this city. At their New York house, manufacture most of their goods, they are in a position to do as they please and challenge all competitors. The old foggy houses are all sick at the very low prices and the tremendous business they are doing at the Plunder Store, No. 19 North Main street.

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## PEOPLE'S STORE.

Los Angeles, Dec. 5, 1888. Today is going to be the greatest day of all. We are fast coming on to the holidays, and in order to make room for our holiday display, we are determining to reduce the prices of a large quantity of goods. Prices, you see, will be no object. Our main desire is to get rid of our goods, and we must have a number of these handkerchiefs, 10c a yard. The price will speak for itself, and wonder how we could do it. It's your benefit and our ridance of the goods, double the material at 10c; worth and sold at 20c. Gent's Sample Handkerchiefs, 10c each. We have had for 100 requests to give a number of these handkerchiefs, but our rule is never to let anything that is on sale for a specific time, to give the first caller the choice of any bargain. No one can tell what a bargain of this kind will ever be secured by all these handkerchiefs, chiefs, elegant borders, at 10c; worth 20c.

**A Basket of Soap.** The basket of soap, in a fancy wicker basket, suitable for decoration, with three cakes of perfumed soap at 25c; worth 50c.

**Four-blade Pocket-knives.** 25c each. A sample 1st set to suit, consisting of all kinds of handles, tortoise shell, natural wood, etc. at 25c; worth 50c. Our 10th covered Books for Holiday Gifts, 50c. The sale of all the hundreds of books left over from yesterday, and a new line will be placed on sale today at 25c; for a Christmas gift, nothing nicer can be had, and sold all over at 25c.

**DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.** All wool Dress Goods, 25c a yard. This is where we surprise you. We have selected a number of different lines of dress goods, all double fold, pure-wool material, in fancy and plain colors, and placed them on sale today at the uniform price 25c a yard. Our object: Must have room. None worth less than 50c and many worth more.

**Black Satin.** 50c a yard. You will always regret it if you miss this bargain. It is worth your time if only to see it, a pure black with ab. good with, and the best of dye at 50c; a bargain all over at \$1. DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

**A Large-sized Towel.** 80c each. This is an extra value, being 18 inches wide by 38 inches long, in water pattern, at 80c; sold all over at 10c.

**Dress Cambric.** 50c a yard.

For fine underwear, aprons or in fact for anything for which a fine white cambric is used at 50c a yard; the price the world over is 10c.

**Fancy Satens.** 10c a yard.

We must have room, and we are bound to rid ourselves of a handsome and fancy saten, and the price will do it. Just think of the prettiest satens at 10c a yard; worth, and sold everywhere at twice the price.

**Blue-Red Tablecloth.** 25c a yard.

**Bed Sheet.** 20c a yard.

The best in the world; will cover the largest double bed, without dressing; at 20c a yard; worth 30c.

**Shirting Flannel.** 25c a yard.

Warranted not to shrink, and gray checked or striped flannel at 25c a yard; never sold for less than 50c.

**Five Red Comforters.** \$2 each.

A bargain which, were you to hunt the world over, you would never find equaled; and not many, either. They are heavy, cotton-covered comforters, lined with turkey red and filled with the purest swan-down cotton, at \$2; regular price, \$3.50.

**White and Gray Blankets.** \$1.40.

Our blanket stock is the largest in the State, too many altogether, and this is the reason we have taken two lines, a heavy gray, or white blanket and placed them today at \$1.40; never sold for less than \$2.50.

**Embroidered Table Covers.** 80c each.

This line will be closed out today; a large size cloth table cover, nicely embroidered, at 80c; worth \$1.75.

**MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.**

**Ladies' U-lined Walking Hats.** 80c each.

The most becoming and stylish hat of the day; all new colors in a fine, soft felt walking hat at 80c; worth \$1.50.

**Ladies' Black Walking Hats.** \$1.00.

The ladies ask: "How is it you sell such a fine black walking hat at \$1.00?" In millions ask \$1.50; they are the finest hats in the market. Several different shapes, and will be closed out today.

**Blackbirds.** 25c each.

They are entire new—a neat and stylish bird in a trim, at 25c; worth 50c.

**Fancy Wings and Birds.** 50c each.

And the rarest bargain in ever sold; you just caught to see what kind of a bargain it was, and we are among them; we have always sold at \$1.50 each, and others ask as high as \$2.50.

**SHOE DEPARTMENT.**

**Men's Fine Calf Shoes.** \$2.25.

We have just opened a case of the best value ever made, and at a low price, at \$2.25; this same shoe sells all over at \$4.

**Men's V. C. Shoes.** \$2.25.

Buy them while you can; you can't tell when you'll get another bargain like this, hand some velvet slip on, embroidered with chenille, at \$1.49; worth \$2.75.

**Ladies' Fine Shoes.** \$2.49.

Old ladies' shoes sold out today at \$2.49; comprising French kids, curacao grain and leather, and in fact all kinds of leather shoes, and as anticipated, and at the best of the market, and none worth more than \$3.75 and upward.

**Old Ladies' Shoes.** \$1.48 a pair.

What the old ladies have long been wanting, a soft-comfort shoe, made of the softest leather, at \$1.48 a pair; easy as an old shoe, and worth \$2.50.

**Misses' Kid Shoes.** \$1.68 a pair.

A beautiful line, as handsome as a shoe as we ever saw, a curacao kid button shoe, with spring heels, or French toes, at \$1.68 a pair; sold everywhere at \$2.50.

**Children's Kid Shoes.** 80c.

Our bargains are the rarest of bargains, a line curacao, 4 to 6 button shoes, with velvet soles, with or without tips, at 60c a pair; worth \$1.25 a pair.

**Men's Under-shirts.** 30c.

Men's extra heavy gray merino undershirt at 30c each, reduced from 50c.

**Men's Collars.** 10c each.

The best of a standard collar made, a four-ply, standing or a collar shape, at 10c each; sold everywhere at 15c.

**Men's Cuffs.** 10c a pair.

Extra good, a three ply thickness white cuff at 10c; reduced from 20c.

**Men's Striped Socks.** 10c a pair.

A fancy sock but a good one, 10c a pair; regular price 15c.

**Men's Fine Boots.** 80c each.

It's a genuine fur felt hat, in gray, tan or brown, the very latest style, a lobby hat at 80c; regular price elsewhere \$1.50.

**Gent's and Young Men's Derby Hats.** \$1.49.

The popular derby hat, a duper or quality, at 10c each; sold all over at \$2.75.

**Ladies' Solid-colored Hose.** 60c a pair.

The best we have ever sold; a solid-colored French ribbed stocking, at 60c; reduced from 10c.

**Lace Hosiery.**

**Dress-socks.** 80c each.

A stylish trimming, braided or gilt dress sock, consisting of eight pieces, all shades and styles, at 80c; worth \$1.50.

**Black Dress Gowns.** 40c.

A large variety of black corded gowns in the latest patterns at 40c a yard; reduced from 60c.

**Ladies' Full-finish Hose.** 10c a pair.

A full-finish stocking, extra long, (about seam regular made, at 10c a yard; reduced from 20c.

**Ladies' Ribbed Stockings.** 12 1/2c a pair.

The greatest of its kind; a full-finish heavy ribbed stocking in all colors at 12 1/2c a pair; a rare bargain at 25c.

**Children's Solid-colored Hose.** 60c a pair.

The best we have ever sold; a solid-colored French ribbed stocking, at 60c; reduced from 10c.

**Lace Tights.** 12 1/2c each.

Just half its usual price, a 24-inch-square Nottingham lace tights, with 1/2-inch edge, a rich at 12 1/2c each; reduced from 25c.

**Ladies' UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT.**

**Ladies' V-neck Shirts.** 10c each.

You cannot touch them for 10c; they are fine, soft wool mixed undershirts, will not shrink, at 10c each; the best you can get in this line.

**Ladies' Nightgowns.** 50c each.

## KID GLOVE DEPARTMENT.

Four-button, fine Paris Kid Gloves, 25c each. A genuine, four-button, imported Paris Kid glove, with fancy stamped "Paris" with fancy of both hands, in brown and tan, at 25c a pair; worth \$1.50 a pair.

**5-Bk. Pique warmers.** 3 c a pair.

M. de pique pique, 5-bk. in solid colors, at 50c; worth 75c.

**NOTICE DEPARTMENT.**

**Ladies' cuffs.** 50c each; pair for 25c, and worth 50c a pair.

**German knitted yarn.** 2 c a hank all shades, one-quarter-pound weight; worth 25c.

**Pina. 24c a yard; full set and worth 50c.**

**Shirts extenders.** 50c each, three in a set, with elastic ends, and all other goods at 50c.

**Dress shields.** 12 1/2c a pair; extra large size and sold all over at 25c.

**Parus silk ribbons.** 10c a yard; all shades; sold all over at 25c.

**Steel pocket purses.** 20c each; neat; sold all over at 25c.

**PERFUMERY DEPARTMENT.**

**Toilet paper.** 50c a package, containing 500 sheets, at 50c; sold everywhere at 25c.

**Ammonia.** 10c a bottle, double distilled; sold everywhere at 25c.

**Hair brushes.** 10c each; sold everywhere at 25c.

**Dr. Par's face powder.** 10c a box; sold everywhere at 25c.

**Hoy's camphorated tooth powder.** 10c; sold everywhere at 25c.

**People's Store.**

**Abraham & Taft.**

At 19 South Spring street, have just received another invoice of clothing. They bought a heavy, but very low, and realizing the fact that small profits in large sales are better in the end than larger profit with smaller sales, they have decided to reduce their prices from 10 to 20 per cent, beginning today. All are invited to call and inspect their nobby suits, overcoats, etc., etc.

**"As Good Luck You Have It."**

I bought Sperry's family flour.

**Changed Hands.**

The Carleton Hotel, 155 and 157 South Spring street. Nicest place to eat in the city.

**Hotel del Coronado Excursion Agency and Information Bureau.**

This enterprising company have opened an office in Los Angeles at the corner of N. 11th Street and Franklin streets, near the Santa Fe office. There all information can be obtained, including rates of rooms, location, etc. Plans of the various floors of this magnificent structure can be seen. Pamphlets and other printed matter obtained at this office free.

**Los Angeles Glove Manufacturer.** 41 South Spring street, upstairs. Moderate prices.

**"Mr. Oak-W-Dough."**

I did not use Sperry's flour.

**The finest cup of coffee in the city goes to Spence's.** 40 South Spring street.

**The Most Critical Like It.**

Sperry's flour. Price, \$1.50 per sack.

**Mrs. Dr. M. M. W. W.**

Six years located at 341 Spring street, has removed to 404 North Street, corner Fifth. (The new and retail district, a specialty; reduced charge for first treatment. Examination free.

**Ask Your Dr. for It.**

Sperry's flour. Price, \$1.50 per sack.

**Roast prime ribs of beef.** Yorkshire pudding, for dinner today. Corner Los Angeles and Mayo streets.

**Fancy pack of raisins at H. Jevon's.**

**The Two Brothers' Restaurant.**

Is the place to go for a good meal, cooked by experienced white men and served by polite and attentive waiters. Meals, 25 cents. No. 24 East Second street.

**"What Appells You Have?"**

When you have bread from Sperry's flour.

**For the finest steaks, chops, oysters, hot cakes, toast, or coffee.** Give Spence's lunch room a trial, 40 South Spring street.

**Open 10 Mins.**

Godfrey & Moore, druggists, 12 S. Spring st., opposite Hotel Nadeau. Telephone 809.

**First-class furnished for general repairs.** Estimates furnished for general repairs. Suits & Whomes, 322 and 324 South Main street. Telephone 644.

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